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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 31, 2006, with an extended date for response of February 28, 2007, and pursuant to Rule 1.116 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks. Applicants are also submitting herewith a request for extension of time and an Amendment Transmittal letter.

It is believed that no additional fees are required for these submissions. However, should the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determine that any additional fee is required or that any refund is owed for this application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any deficiency and/or credit any refund owed to our Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.